

***APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR CONVERTING THE LOAD  
COMPARTMENT OF A VEHICLE INTO A WATER TANK***

***ABSTRACT***

5           According to a disclosed embodiment of the invention, an apparatus for converting the  
load compartment of a vehicle into a tank for carrying liquids comprises a removable cover  
assembly configured to cover an upper opening of the load compartment. A pump, which can  
be mounted to the cover assembly, is provided for pumping liquid from the load compartment.  
The outlet of the pump may be fluidly connected to a discharge conduit, which may be coupled  
10 to the cover assembly. The discharge conduit desirably extends at least partially inside the  
cover assembly. An opening may be defined in the cover assembly for introducing liquid into  
the load compartment.

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